

Opportunity to Comment on Granite Basin OHV Trail Development Project

The Forest Service, Plumas National Forest, is preparing an Environmental Assessment for the Granite Basin OHV Trail Development Project. We are proposing to meet the need for additional OHV trails in the Granite Basin area. Additional information about this proposal or the comment procedures is available

at <https://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55986>; from Tim Keesey at tim@bcrd.org, (530) 534-0112 extension 122; or Clay Davis at clay.davis@usda.gov, (530) 532-8940.

Individuals or organizations wishing to be eligible to object must meet the information requirements of 36 CFR 218 Subparts A and B. It is the responsibility of persons providing comments to submit them by the close of the scoping period. Only those who submit timely and specific written comments regarding the proposed project during a public comment period established by the responsible official are eligible to file an objection under §218.

Written, facsimile, hand-delivered, and electronic comments concerning the action will be accepted for 30 calendar days following the publication of this notice. The publication date in the newspaper of record is the exclusive means for calculating the comment period for this scoping period. Those wishing to comment should not rely upon dates or time-frame information provided by any other source. The regulations prohibit extending the length of the comment period.

Written comments must be submitted to Jerry Bird, Acting Forest Supervisor, 159 Lawrence Street, Quincy, CA 95971. Email: comments-pacificsouthwest-plumas@fs.fed.us. Fax: 530-283-7746.

The office business hours for those submitting hand-delivered comments are: 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding holidays. Electronic comments must be submitted in a format such as an email message, plain text (.txt), rich text format (.rtf), or Word (.doc).

In cases where no identifiable name is attached to a comment, a verification of identity will be required for objection eligibility. If using an electronic message, a scanned signature is one way to provide verification. For objection eligibility each individual or representative from each entity submitting timely and specific written comments regarding the proposed project must either sign the comments or verify identity upon request.

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